

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.

In Re Application Of Kunzler et al.



Serial No. 10/005,552 Filing Date October 29, 2001  
PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner

Group Art Unit  
1712

**Invention: Silicone Hydrogels Based On Vinyl Carbonate Encapped Fluorinated Side Chain Polysiloxanes**

**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of November 17, 2003 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

- One month     Two months     Three months     Four months     Five months

from: **February 17, 2004**      Date \_\_\_\_\_ until: **May 17, 2004**      Date \_\_\_\_\_

**The fee for the extension of time is \$920 and is to be paid as follows:**

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-1425  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 02-1425  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.



*J.S.*

Dated: May 12, 2004

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on  
May 13, 2004 with the U.S. Postal Service as first  
class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C.  
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